

Honolulu, Hawaii

**April 23**, 2010

RE: H.B. No. 2084  
H.D. 1  
S.D. 1  
C.D. 1

Honorable Calvin K.Y. Say  
Speaker, House of Representatives  
Twenty-Fifth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2010  
State of Hawaii

Honorable Colleen Hanabusa  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Fifth State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2010  
State of Hawaii

Sir and Madam:

Your Committee on Conference on the disagreeing vote of the House of Representatives to the amendments proposed by the Senate in H.B. No. 2084, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO THE FEDERAL DISPROPORTIONATE SHARE HOSPITAL FUNDS,"

having met, and after full and free discussion, has agreed to recommend and does recommend to the respective Houses the final passage of this bill in an amended form.

The purpose of this bill is to meet rising health care costs and ensure that Hawaii's residents have continued access to quality health care by appropriating state funds to maximize the availability of the federal disproportionate share hospital allowance. Specifically, this measure appropriates funds to:

- (1) Match the federal disproportionate share hospital allowance (Hospital Allowance) allocated to Hawaii for fiscal year (FY) 2010; and



- (2) Obtain a matching Hospital Allowance for prior FY expenditures by the State.

Your Committee on Conference has amended this bill by:

- (1) Extending until June 30, 2011, the lapsing of the appropriation authorized by Act 23, Special Session Laws of Hawaii 2009, so that previously allocated but unused funds may be used to secure the Hospital Allowance;
- (2) Changing the effective date to upon its approval; and
- (3) Making technical, nonsubstantive changes for clarity, consistency, and style.


As affirmed by the record of votes of the managers of your Committee on Conference that is attached to this report, your Committee on Conference is in accord with the intent and purpose of H.B. No. 2084, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, as amended herein, and recommends that it pass Final Reading in the form attached hereto as H.B. No. 2084, H.D. 1, S.D. 1, C.D. 1.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the managers:


ON THE PART OF THE SENATE


ON THE PART OF THE HOUSE

  
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 DAVID Y. IGE, Chair

  
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 RYAN I. YAMANE, Co-Chair

  
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 SUZANNE CHUN OAKLAND, Co-Chair

  
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 MARCUS R. OSHIRO, Co-Chair

  
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 SHAN S. TSUTSUI, Co-Chair



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Record of Votes of a  
Conference Committee

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The recommendation of the House and Senate managers is to pass with amendments (CD).

The Committee is reconsidering its previous decision.

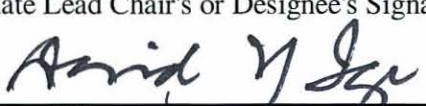

The recommendation of the Senate Manager(s) is to AGREE to the House amendments made to the Senate Measure

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Senate Managers	A	WR	N	E	House Managers	A	WR	N	E
IGE, David Y., Chr.	/				YAMANE, Ryan I., Co-Chr.	/			
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne, Co-Chr.	/				OSHIRO, Marcus R., Co-Chr.	/			
TSUTSUI, Shan S., Co-Chr.	/				NISHIMOTO, Scott Y.	/			
HEMMINGS, Fred			/		WARD, Gene	/			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>			<b>1</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4</b>			

A = Aye      WR = Aye with Reservations      N = Nay      E = Excused

Senate Recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted	House Recommendation is: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted
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Senate Lead Chair's or Designee's Signature: 	House Lead Chair's or Designee's Signature: 
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